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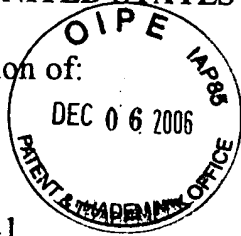
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Sir:

Applicant requests that the prior art listed in attached Form PTO-1449 be considered in connection with the examination of the above-identified application.

A copy of each document is enclosed, and it is requested that each document be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the application file. Pertinence of the documents is discussed on pages 1-2 of the specification, whereas the cited European document was cited in an International Preliminary Examination Report in the related International Application.

It is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for examination on the merits. Should the Examiner have any questions, he is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at the below-listed local telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

István DOBOS

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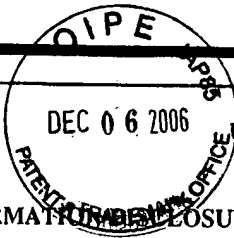
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	WO 99/22347	5/6/1999	International				
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